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Dear Candidate/Elected Official:

## OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

October 13, 2004

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SECRETARY OF STATE

I am confident that you share my conviction that campaign finance reporting should be complete and

meaningful to promote open government and trust in our democratic process. It is critical that public disclosure of campaign finances be both transparent and understandable, not a pale unitation of the intent of the law. Unfortunately, the form approved by the Legislative Commission does not include information that is necessary to achieve meaningful disclosure of campaign contributions and expenses. Accordingly, as Secretary of State, I am requesting that you make voluntary disclosure of all your campaign funds, including beginning and ending balances, by submitting the following information and affixing your signature below.

Name: Debbie Smith	_ Office Sought or Held:	Assembly I	<u>Distri</u> ct 3
Signature: Debui Spett	Date:		
(A) Cash on Hand at beginning of this reporting period, which	ends Oct. 21, 2004. \$	29,403.46	<u>5</u>
(B) Interest and Income Earned on Contributions during this po	eriod: \$	S	
(C) Total Amount of Monetary Contributions Received during (Add figure in Line 3 of C & E Report to any Interest or Income earned	•	68,550.00	)
(D) Total Amount of All Monetary Expenses Paid during this p (Figure from Line 7 of C & E Report)	period: \$	48,482.20	)
(E) Ending Cash on Hand on October 21, 2004:	\$ \$	49,471.26	5

Thank you for taking the time to respond to our request. You have demonstrated your desire to have meaningful disclosure of your campaign contributions and expenses.

My office will be compiling a list of those candidates/elected officials who voluntarily provide full disclosure of campaign monies, as well as those who decline to do so, and this information will be posted on our website for the public to view.

Respectfully submitted,

**DEAN HELLER** Secretary of State

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